

	1	2	3	4	5	6
30. Delhi . . .		0.08	1.45	0.10	0.02	1.65
31. Lakshdweep
32. Pondicherry . . .		0.70	..	0.05	0.02	0.77
Total . . .		737.00	545.00	333.00	150.00	1765.00

Fixation of Support Price for Food-grains

2149. SHRI PRAKASH BAPU VASANTRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to include transportation cost while fixing the Support price of food-grains;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) and (b) The Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP) while recommending the prices in its Price Policy Report, takes into consideration the transportation cost from farmer's field/village to procurement centre/mandi/factory gate, as the case may be.

(c) The question does not arise.

Import of Edible Oil

2150. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA VARMA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of edible oil imported during 1990-91 and the actual value of import; and

(b) the quantity of oilseed supplied by the National Seeds Corporation during 1990-91 to each State against the actual demand?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) The quantity of edible oil imported during the Oil Year 1990-91 (from November 1990 upto July 1991) is 89,941 MT and the value of imports is Rs. 62.25 crores.

(b) The National Seeds Corporation has supplied 25,553 quintals of oil-seeds in different States during 1990-91 against the actual demand of 22,355 quintals of seeds. Details are given in the attached Statement.

STATEMENT

Sl. No.	State	Demand as per Zonal Conf. Qtl.	Total Qty supplied in Qtls.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh .	1	34	
2.	Andaman & Nicobar . . .	5	5	
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	50	29	Offered 50 qtl. but lifted only 29 qtls.
4.	Bihar . . .	1456	1485	

1	2	3	4	5
5.	Delhi. . . .	10	938	
6.	Gujarat . . .	200	780	
7.	Himachal Pradesh	530	14	Indent for 500 qtls. Soyabean bragg not confirmed by the Govt. Sunflower seed 30 qtls. not lifted.
8.	Jammu & Kashmir	155	70	NSC did not agree to supply 70 qtls. Mustard RLM because NSC was not taking up the production of the variety. Indented quantity of Sunflower seed was supplied.
9.	Karnataka . .	10	836	
10.	Madhya Pradesh.	2818	1900	Limited availability of seeds (Ground-nut, Sunflower and Castor seeds).
11.	Maharashtra .	335	745	
12.	Manipur . . .	540	1087	
13.	Meghalaya . .	234	416	
14.	Mizoram . . .	215	95	Limited availability of Sunflower, Groundnut seeds.
15.	Nagaland . . .	175	555	
16.	Orissa	300	219	Limited availability of Soya-bean/groundnut seed.
17.	Pondicherry .	..	18	
18.	Punjab	54	
19.	Haryana	494	
20.	Rajasthan . .	3826	10158	
21.	Sikkim	400	449	
22.	Tamil Nadu . .	3200	424	Shortfall in production for Groundnut and TMV-2.
23.	Tripura	1335	368	Limited availability of Groundnut seed NSC did not agree to supply Mustard B-9 as this was not under production.
24.	Uttar Pradesh .	6000	4219	Limited availability of Sunflower seed.
25.	Chandigarh Admn.	10	9	
26.	Kerala	550	152	Limited availability of Groundnut seed.
Total		22355	25553	